

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Yuzo HORIKOSHI et al.**

Group Art Unit: 1714

Serial No.: 09/492,373

Examiner: SHOSHO, Callie E.

Filed: January 27, 2000

Confirmation No.: 9795

For: **INK, INK CARTRIDGE STRONG SAID INK AND RECORDING  
DEVICE USING SAID INK**

Attorney Docket Number: 991444

Customer Number: 38834

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

November 4, 2004

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	12	Minus	20	= 0
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	5	Minus	4	= 1
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))				

SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
X \$9		OR	X\$18	0.00
X \$44		OR	X\$88	88.00
+ \$150		OR	+ \$300	0.00
TOTAL ADD'L FEE			TOTAL ADD'L FEE	88.00

☒ Enclosed please find our check in the amount of \$88.00 for the additional claims fee in connection with this Amendment.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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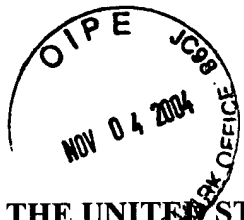
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**AMENDMENT**

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November 4, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 4, 2004, please amend the above identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.